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Thank you, Susan! Great info. I will be making some calls to the different states to see if they can help me understand how they are approaching closure. From what I can determine online, many of the states long ago instituted some way to regulate these materials and units, and Indiana excluded it from regulation and is behind. Still, I'm sure there will be some units in every state that have to be addressed. I'll let you know what I learn, and if I think I or the group would benefit from a group discussion, I'll let you know. Thanks again! Becky



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Hi Becky,

Happy to provide the contacts I have! As you'll see, it isn't straightforward...especially for the surface impoundments.

- So far, MI is the only other state planning on seeking a full permit program approval. They are working on draft rules. Margie Ring is working on the rules and has been in contact with all of the utilities. Until their rules are in place, I believe it is their surface water division that might be directly involved with SI closures. But Margie will be a good resource in helping you get to the right person. She can be reached at 517-284-6592 or ringm@michigan.gov.
- Ohio is pursuing a partial approval for groundwater monitoring and correction action. Ohio's waste and materials management program's work on CCR units is limited because of a definitional issue in their statute. Their Division of Surface Water would oversee closure of most CCR units in the state. I'd suggest starting with Alison Shockley, who is a manager in their Waste and Materials Management Division. She can be reached at (614) 728-5335 or alison.shockley@epa.ohio.gov. My guess is she will need to refer you to someone in the surface water program, but can provide you with insight on Ohio's approach for some of their CCR landfills.

- In WI, I'd recommend starting with Kate Strom Hiorns, their new solid waste section chief. She can be reached at 608-261-8449 or kathrynm.stromhiorns@wisconsin.gov. She can recommend who may be most knowledgeable about closure of their CCR units.
- In MN, I'd recommend Mike Mondloch, supervisor of their solid waste permitting unit. He can be reached at (651) 757-2578 or mike.mondloch@state.mn.us.
- In IL, the Bureau of Land is not involved with surface impoundment operation or closure. The permitting chief in their Bureau of Land (for CCR landfills) is Ted Dragovich, who can be reached at 217-524-3306 or ted.dragovich@illinois.gov. We haven't had any recent conversations with anyone in their Bureau of Water regarding their SIs, but about a year ago we spoke to a woman who worked on their SI rule revisions, which were paused. Her name is Joanne Olson and her phone is 217-558-3347 or email is Joanne.Olson@Illinois.gov. I'm not sure if she is still involved at all with CCRs!

If it would help, we'd also be happy to arrange a conference call and have as many on the line as possible. Let me know if that would be useful.

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Hi Susan – I have been asked by our upper management to research how other states in Region 5 are approaching CCR closures. I'm learning some things from the various states websites, but I was wondering if you could provide me with names of contacts in our region's states that are involved with CCR closures? Thanks for your help - Becky



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